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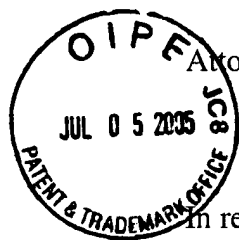
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED APRIL 6, 2005

Dear Sir:

This Reply is in response to the Final Office Action mailed April 6, 2005, rejecting all pending claims. This Reply is being filed within the three-month period of time to respond to the Final Office Action.

This Reply should be considered a submission in a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (see attached *Transmittal*). Enclosed is payment for the cost of this request in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e). Reconsideration of the application, including all pending claims, is respectfully requested in light of the remarks made herein.

Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.